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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

This is responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed July 28, 2003. Reconsideration and allowance of this application is respectfully solicited in view of the following amendments and remarks.

As an appendix to this document a set of <u>all</u> the claims in the case with a notation as to the current status of the claims. Only claims 31-38 are presented for exmination.

CLAIMS and their STATUS

1. (canceled) A method of detecting blood flow abnormality or variation in a human body, said method comprising the steps of: